

Subject No. 379
Restoration of Sangavi tank.

Summary of discussion.—The breached Sangavi tank near Anjawadi may be restored, as about 500 acres of land depend upon it for irrigation.

Reply of Government.—The Deputy Commissioner will first investigate this and then refer to Public Works Department, if necessary.

Subject No. 380
Improving Gauramma tank and constructing akalyani behind it.

Summary of discussion.—The bund across the Gauramma tank in Magadi may be reveted on both sides and the water thereof kept pure by removing weeds &c. A kalyani may also be constructed behind this tank for washing and bathing purposes.

Reply of Government.—Referred to the Municipal Board of the town.

Subject No. 381
Raising bund of Dod Mudgere tank.

Summary of discussion.—The bund of the Dod Mudgere tank may be raised by a yard as its present capacity is insufficient for the irrigation of the lands under it.

Subject No. 382
Improving Chakrabhavi tank.

Summary of discussion.—The Chakrabhavi tank in Satnur hobli may be deepened and its bund raised so as to ensure an adequate supply of water for the irrigation of its entire atchkat.

Reply of Government.—Nos. 381 & 382. The Deputy Commissioner is investigating these projects.

Subject No. 383
Construction of a road to Sivaganga.

Summary of discussion.—There is no direct road to Sivaganga from Solur; the Public Works Department surveyed this project, but nothing has yet been done.

Subject No. 384
Road from Magadi to Nelamangala.

Summary of discussion.—The new road from Magadi to Nelamangala has not yet been metalled up to Gudemarnahalli. This may be done early and the bund of Gudemarnahalli tank widened. If the latter is not feasible, the road may be realigned so as to take it behind the bund of the tank.

Subject No. 385
Improving cart track from Hutridrug to Closepet.

Summary of discussion.—The cart track of Hutridrug to Closepet is not in a trafficable condition and requires improvement.

Subject No. 386
Improving cart track of Narasimha Devaru Temple at Savandrug.

Summary of discussion.—Many devotees resort to the Narasimhadevaru temple at Savandrug from different parts of the country. The cart track near the 16th mile of Closepet road requires early improvement.

Reply of Government.—Nos. 383 to 386. The Deputy Commissioner and Public Works Department will investigate these projects.

Subject No. 387
Constructing prakaram to Narasimha Devaru temple at Savandrug.

Summary of discussion.—There are two temples at Savandrug, viz., Narasimhaswami and Virabhadraswami, but the large numbers of people resorting to them are greatly inconvenienced for want of accommodation. The con-

struction of a veranda around the Narasimhaswami temple or of a separate chattram will remove this inconvenience and may, therefore, be ordered to be undertaken.

Reply of Government.—If funds are forthcoming the needful will be done.

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Subject No. 388
Dharmadarsis to
Narasimhaswami and
Virabhadraswami
temples.

Summary of discussion.—A large sum of money is realized from kanike, &c., at the temples of Narasimhaswami and Virabhadraswami; but there are no Dharmadarsis to see to the proper management of the temple fund.

Reply of Government.—Referred to the Muzrai Superintendent for needful action.

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Subject No. 389
Anna Chattram at
Magadi.

Summary of discussion.—A feeding chattram is required at Magadi for the convenience of travellers, coming from Kunigal, Nelamangala, Bangalore and Closepet.

Reply of Government.—No necessity for this has been made out.

Subject No. 390
Assignment of be-
charak Vajerahalli
village as free pas-
ture.

Summary of discussion.—There are 1,500 head of cattle at Magadi, but the gomal assigned for their use is very small. The becharak village Vajerahalli near the town may be assigned as free pasture.

Reply of Government.—Government do not consider the assignment of any fresh gomal land necessary.

Subject No. 391
Imposition of shop
tax on itinerant trad-
ers.

Summary of discussion.—The tradesmen residing at Magadi are heavily charged with shop-tax, while itinerant people coming from other places and disposing of their goods at Magadi and its adjoining villages are left free. This is a hardship of which the former have good reason to complain and something should be done to remove it.

Reply of Government.—Some rule is necessary in regard to the levy of 'shop-tax' from itinerant traders setting up shop and dealing. The matter will receive the early attention of Government.

Subject No. 392
Revision of Muni-
cipal tax in Magadi.

Summary of discussion.—The revision of Municipal tax is undesirable at a time when owing to the prevalence of abnormally high prices people are unable to pay the present tax.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 393
Municipal Members
for the Magadi town.

Summary of discussion.—New appointments of Municipal members may be made in place of those holding office from a long time.

Reply of Government.—Referred to Deputy Commissioner.

Subject No. 394
Cultivation of tank
beds.

Summary of discussion.—To prevent delay in the disposal of darkhasts, tank beds may be given out for cultivation once for all from this year up to Vikari (1900).